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product with similar size was engineered downstream to the E1 signal sequence, the inefficient cleavage of signal sequence was also observed, suggesting that the effect of downstream sequence on the cleavage was due to the presence of the envelope protein sequences. Computer-aided anal. clearly showed that E1 signal sequences was a typical signal sequence. The influence of downstream sequences to signal sequence cleavage demonstrated here was uncommon. To date, similar observations were only reported for the processing of IL-12 signal sequence and the C/prM site of flavivirus.

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TITLE: New monoclonal antibodies against a recombinant second envelope protein of hepatitis C virus.
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CORPORATE SOURCE: Virology Division, National Cancer Center Research Institute, Chuo-ku, Tokyo, 104-0045, Japan
SOURCE: Microbiology and Immunology (1998), 42(12), 875-877
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DOCUMENT TYPE: Journal
LANGUAGE: English
AB To study the immunol. features of the hepatitis C virus (HCV) envelope protein (E2 protein), new specific monoclonal antibodies (mAbs) were generated. WKA/H rats were immunized with syngeneic cells infected with a vaccinia virus expressing the E2 protein and with soluble E2 protein obtained from Chinese hamster ovary cells with a plasmid-based expression system. By screening hybridoma cells obtained from spleen cells of the immunized rats, three specific mAbs were obtained. One mAb was reactive to a peptide corresponding to the hypervariable region 1 (HVR1) in E2 protein, while the others reacted to regions outside HVR1. The significance of these antibodies for the diagnosis of HCV infection as well as for anal. of the structure of the HCV E2 protein will be discussed.
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TITLE: Characterization of hepatitis C virus envelope glycoprotein complexes expressed by recombinant vaccinia viruses
AUTHOR(S): Ralston, Robert; Thodium, Kent; Berger, Kim; Kuo, Carol; Gervase, Barbara; Hall, John; Selby, Mark; Kuo, George; Houghton, Michael; Choo, Qui Lim
CORPORATE SOURCE: Chiron Corp., Emeryville, CA, 94608, USA
SOURCE: Journal of Virology (1993), 67(11), 6753-61
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AB The authors constructed recombinant vaccinia virus vectors for expression of the structural region of hepatitis C virus (HCV). Infection of mammalian cells with a vector (vv/HCV1-906) encoding C-E1-E2-NS2 generated major protein species of 22 kDa (C), 33 to 35 kDa (E1), and 70 to 72 kDa (E2), as observed previously with other mammalian expression systems. The bulk of the E1 and E2 expressed by vv/HCV1-906 was integrated into endoplasmic reticulum membranes as core-glycosylated species, suggesting that these E1 and E2 species represent intracellular forms of the HCV envelope proteins. HCV E1 and E2 formed E1-E2 complexes which were precipitated by either anti-E1 or

anti-E2 serum and which sedimented at approx. 15 S on glycerol d. gradients. No evidence of intermol. disulfide bonding between E1 and E2 was detected. E1 and E2 were copurified to approx. 90% purity by mild detergent extraction, followed by chromatog. on Galanthus nivalis lectin-agarose and DEAE-Fractogel. Immunization of chimpanzees with purified E1-E2 generated high titers of anti-E1 and anti-E2 antibodies. Further studies demonstrated that purified E1-E2 complexes were recognized at high frequency by HCV+ human sera and generated protective immunity in chimpanzees, suggesting that these purified HCV envelope proteins display native HCV epitopes.

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 INVENTOR(S): Ralston, Robert O.; Marcus, Frank; Thudium, Kent B.; Gervase, Barbara A.; Hall, John A.
 PATENT ASSIGNEE(S): Chiron Corp., USA
 SOURCE: PCT Int. Appl., 28 pp.
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AB Two hepatitis C virus (HCV) envelope proteins (E1 and E2) are manufactured without sialylation. Expression of these genes in lower eukaryotes, or in mammalian cells in which terminal glycosylation is blocked, results in proteins similar to native HCV glycoproteins. When isolated by mannose-binding GNA (Galanthus nivalis agglutinin) lectin affinity, the E1 and E2 proteins aggregate into virus-like particles. Cells bearing a mannose receptor or asialoglycoprotein receptor are capable of being infected with HCV and of supporting culturing of the virus. E1 and E2 were produced in HeLa S3 cells inoculated with recombinant Vaccinia virus containing HCV gene fragments and purified using a GNA-agarose column.

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 AUTHOR(S): Inudoh, Michiharu; Kato, Nobuyuki; Tanaka, Yuetsu [Reprint author]
 CORPORATE SOURCE: Dep. Biosci., Sch. Sci., Kitasato Univ., Kitasato 1-15-1, Sagamihara, Kanagawa 228-8555, Japan
 SOURCE: Microbiology and Immunology, (1998) Vol. 42, No. 12, pp. 875-877. print.
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 AB To study the immunological features of the hepatitis C virus (HCV)

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DOCUMENT NUMBER: PREV199497005312
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AUTHOR(S): Ralston, Robert; Thudium, Kent; Berger, Kim; Kuo, Carol; Gervase, Barbara; Hall, John; Selby, Mark; Kuo, George; Houghton, Michael [Reprint author]; Choo, Qui-Lim
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